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| Form PTO-1390<br>(Rev. 01-2003)   |  | U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE<br>PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE | ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER<br>IPE-057 |
| TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES<br>DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)<br>CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371  |  |  | U.S. APPLICATION NO.<br>10/540,624  |
| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.<br>PCT/JP2003/016697  | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE<br>December 25, 2003 | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED<br>December 27, 2002                 |                                     |
| TITLE OF INVENTION<br>LAYERED PRODUCT, ELECTROMAGNETIC-SHIELDING MOLDED OBJECT, AND PROCESSES FOR PRODUCING THESE   |  |  | DATE<br>November 23, 2005           |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US<br>Masato HONMA, Souichi ISHIBASHI, Yoshiki TAKEBE, Haruo OBARA, Takeshi NISHIZAWA, Kosuke SHIHO, Seiichiro ETO, Takashi HASEGAWA and Hideaki TANISUGI  |  |  |                                     |
| Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:   |  |  |                                     |
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.<br>2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.<br>3. <input type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.<br>4. <input type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).<br>5. <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))<br>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).<br>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.<br>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).<br>6. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).<br>(* pages and * sheets of drawings (Fig(s). *-*)<br>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.<br>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).<br>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(C)(3))<br>a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).<br>b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.<br>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.<br>d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.<br>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).<br>9. <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).<br>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).<br>Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:<br>11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.<br>12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.<br>13. <input type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment.<br>14. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.<br>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.<br>16. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.<br>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.<br>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).<br>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).<br>20. <input type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: |  |  |                                     |

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|  |              |  |   | CALCULATIONS                     | PTO USE ONLY |
| The following fees are submitted:  |              |  |   |                                  |              |
| 21. <input type="checkbox"/> Basic National Stage Fee . . . . . \$300.00   |              |  |   |                                  |              |
| 22. <input type="checkbox"/> Examination fee<br>If international preliminary examination report prepared by UPSTO and all claims<br>satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) . . . . . \$100.00<br>All other situations . . . . . \$200.00  |              |  |   |                                  |              |
| 23. <input type="checkbox"/> Search Fee<br>Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the<br>USPTO as an International Searching Authority . . . . . \$100.00<br>International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office . . . . . \$400.00<br>All other situations . . . . . \$500.00  |              |  |   |                                  |              |
| TOTAL OF 21, 22 AND 23 =   |              |  |   | \$                               | 0.00         |
| Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30<br>months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).   |              |  |   |                                  |              |
| National Stage Application Size Fee - If the specification and drawings exceed 100<br>sheets, the application size fee due is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets or<br>fraction thereof.   |              |  |   |                                  |              |
| CLAIMS   | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA                                       | RATE  |                                  |              |
| Total claims   | - 20         |  | x \$ 50.00  | \$                               | 0.00         |
| Indep. claims  | - 3          |  | x \$ 200.00   | \$                               | 0.00         |
| Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable)  |              |  | + \$ 360.00   | \$                               | 0.00         |
| TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =  |              |  |   | \$                               | 0.00         |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are<br>reduced by 1/2.   |              |  |   | \$                               | 0.00         |
| SUB TOTAL =  |              |  |   | \$                               | 0.00         |
| Processing fee \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30<br>months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).   |              |  |   | \$                               | 0.00         |
| TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =   |              |  |   | \$                               | 0.00         |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be<br>accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +  |              |  |   | \$                               | 0.00         |
| TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =  |              |  |   | \$                               | 0.00         |
|  |              |  |   | Amount to be<br>refunded:        | \$           |
|  |              |  |   | charged                          | \$           |
| <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment in the amount of <u>\$*.00</u> is authorized by credit card (PTO-2038).</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Check in the amount of <u>\$*.00</u> to cover the above fees is enclosed.</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>111833</u> in the amount of \$_____ to cover the above fees.</p> <p>d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit<br/>any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>111833</u>.</p> <p>NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to review (37 CFR<br/>1.137(a) or (b) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.</p> |              |  |   |                                  |              |
| <p>SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:</p> <p>KUBOVCIK &amp; KUBOVCIK<br/>The Farragut Building<br/>Suite 710<br/>900 17th Street, N.W.<br/>Washington, D.C. 20006</p>   |              |  | <p style="text-align: center;"></p> <p>Signature<br/><u>Keiko Tanaka Kubovcik</u><br/>Name<br/><u>40,428</u><br/>Registration Number<br/><u>November 23, 2005</u><br/>Date</p> |                                  |              |